



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Nonda Katopodis

Art Unit 1642

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For: METHOD FOR DETERMINING LIPID ASSOCIATED SIALOPROTEIN IN BODY FLUIDS

**AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO
SEPTEMBER 14, 2005 OFFICE ACTION**

The applicant hereby submits his reply to the Office Action which was mailed on September 14, 2005. A reply was initially due by December 14, 2005. A request for a three month extension to respond together with the required fee is submitted herewith. Accordingly a response to the September 14, 2005 office action is now due by March 14, 2006.

AMENDMENT

Please amend the subject application as follows: